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GAS BASED POWER PROJECTS IN M.P.
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to set up a gas based power project on the HBJ pipeline in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the total cost of the project;

(c) the details of progress made so far; and

(d) the reasons for delay in this project?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (d) : A proposal to set up 330 MW Combined Cycle Power Project enrouteHBJ pipeline based on Naphtha/Gas at Guna by M/s. STI Power India Pvt. Ltd. hadreceived Techno-economic clearance (TEC) of Central Electricity Authority (CEA) inJuly, 1998. The Government of Madhya Pradesh has approved to change the configuration of the plant from 330 MW to 430 MW.The work on the project could start after TEC for the revised project is accorded by CEA and all the inputs/clearances aretied up and financial closure is achieved by the Company.